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**BEFORE THE
BOARD OF REGISTERED NURSING
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

In the Matter of the Accusation Against:

Case No. 2011-834

**LEASA ANN CAMPBELL, AKA
Leasa Comeaux Campbell
72307 Highway 41
Pearl River, LA 70452
Registered Nurse License No. 637856**

DEFAULT DECISION AND ORDER

[Gov. Code, §11520]

RESPONDENT

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On or about April 12, 2011, Complainant Louise R. Bailey, M.Ed.,RN, in her official capacity as the Executive Officer of the Board of Registered Nursing, Department of Consumer Affairs, filed Accusation No. 2011-834, against Leasa Ann Campbell, AKA Leasa Comeaux Campbell (Respondent) before the Board of Registered Nursing. (Accusation attached as Exhibit A.)

2. On or about May 27, 2004, the Board of Registered Nursing (Board) issued Registered Nurse License No. 637856 to Respondent. The Registered Nurse License expired on December 31, 2009, and has not been renewed.

3. On or about April 12, 2011, the Respondent was served by Certified and First Class Mail copies of the Accusation No. 2011-834, Statement to Respondent, Notice of Defense, Request for Discovery, and Government Code sections 11507.5, 11507.6, and 11507.7 to Respondent's address of record which, pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 136 and Title 16 California Code of Regulations section 1409.1, is required to be reported and maintained with the Board, which was and is:

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1 4. Service of the Accusation was effective as a matter of law under the provisions of
2 Government Code section 11505, subdivision (c) and/or Business & Professions Code section
3 124.

4 5. On or about April 19, 2011, the Certified Mail Domestic Return Receipt was returned
5 to our office, indicating a delivery date of April 15, 2011.

6 6. Business and Professions Code section 2764 states:

7 The lapsing or suspension of a license by operation of law or by order or decision of
8 the board or a court of law, or the voluntary surrender of a license by a licensee shall not deprive
9 the board of jurisdiction to proceed with an investigation of or action or disciplinary proceeding
10 against such license, or to render a decision suspending or revoking such license.

11 7. Government Code section 11506 states, in pertinent part:

12 (c) The respondent shall be entitled to a hearing on the merits if the respondent files a
13 notice of defense, and the notice shall be deemed a specific denial of all parts of the accusation
14 not expressly admitted. Failure to file a notice of defense shall constitute a waiver of respondent's
15 right to a hearing, but the agency in its discretion may nevertheless grant a hearing.

16 8. Respondent failed to file a Notice of Defense within 15 days after service upon her of
17 the Accusation, and therefore waived her right to a hearing on the merits of Accusation No. 2011-
18 834.

19 9. California Government Code section 11520 states, in pertinent part:

20 (a) If the respondent either fails to file a notice of defense or to appear at the hearing, the
21 agency may take action based upon the respondent's express admissions or upon other evidence
22 and affidavits may be used as evidence without any notice to respondent.

23 10. Pursuant to its authority under Government Code section 11520, the Board after
24 having reviewed the proof of service dated, April 12, 2011, finds Respondent is in default. The
25 Board will take action without further hearing and, based on Accusation No. 2011-834 and the
26 documents contained in the Default Decision Investigatory Evidence Packet which includes:
27 Exhibit 1 – Pleadings offered for jurisdictional purposes; Exhibit 2 – License History
28 Certification for Leasa Ann Campbell, AKA Leasa Comeaux Campbell, Registered Nurse

1 License No. 637856; Exhibit 3 – Louisiana State Board of Nursing, Letter Re: Order Approving
2 and Accepting Consent Order – Reprimand, dated September 23, 2009; Exhibit 4 – California
3 Board of Registered Nursing, Supplemental Information Report dated December 29, 2009;
4 Exhibit 5 - Affidavit of Shannon Silberling; Exhibit 5 – Declaration of costs by Office of the
5 Attorney General for Prosecution of Case No. 2011-834, and finds that the charges and
6 allegations in Accusation No. 2011-834 are separately and severally true and correct by clear and
7 convincing evidence.

8 11. Taking official notice of the Declaration of costs by the Office of the Attorney
9 General contained in the Default Decision Investigatory Evidence Packet, pursuant to Business
10 and Professions Code section 125.3, it is hereby determined that the reasonable costs for
11 Investigation and Enforcement in connection with the Accusation are \$490.00, as of May 4, 2011.

12 DETERMINATION OF ISSUES

13 1. Based on the foregoing findings of fact, Respondent Leasa Ann Campbell, AKA
14 Leasa Comeaux Campbell has subjected the following licenses to discipline:

15 a. Registered Nurse License No. 637856

16 2. The agency has jurisdiction to adjudicate this case by default.

17 3. The Board of Registered Nursing is authorized to revoke Respondent's Registered
18 Nurse License based upon the following violations alleged in the Accusation, which are
19 supported by the evidence contained in the Default Decision Investigatory Evidence Packet in this
20 case.

21 a. Violation of Business and Professions Code section 2761(a)(4) - Disciplinary
22 action by another State Board of Nursing.

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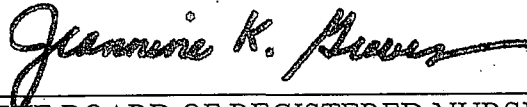
ORDER

IT IS SO ORDERED that Registered Nurse License No. 637856, heretofore issued to Respondent Leasa Ann Campbell, AKA Leasa Comeaux Campbell, is revoked.

Pursuant to Government Code section 11520, subdivision (c), Respondent may serve a written motion requesting that the Decision be vacated and stating the grounds relied on within seven (7) days after service of the Decision on Respondent. The agency in its discretion may vacate the Decision and grant a hearing on a showing of good cause, as defined in the statute.

This Decision shall become effective on July 30, 2011.

It is so ORDERED June 30, 2011



FOR THE BOARD OF REGISTERED NURSING
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

Attachment:

Exhibit A: Accusation No. 2011-834

Exhibit A

Accusation No. 2011-834

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A C C U S A T I O N

15 Respondent.

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18 Complainant alleges:

19 PARTIES

20 1. Louise R. Bailey, M.Ed., RN (Complainant) brings this Accusation solely in her
21 official capacity as the Executive Officer of the Board of Registered Nursing, Department of
22 Consumer Affairs.

23 2. On or about May 27, 2004, the Board of Registered Nursing issued Registered Nurse
24 License Number 637856 to Leasa Ann Campbell, also known as Leasa Comeaux Campbell
25 (Respondent). The Registered Nurse License expired on December 31, 2009, and has not been
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1 licensing board. A certified copy of the decision or judgment shall be conclusive evidence of that
2 action.”

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4 “(e) Making or giving any false statement or information in connection with the
5 application for certificate or license.”

6 7 COST RECOVERY

8 8. Section 125.3 of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that the Board may request the
9 administrative law judge to direct a licensee found to have committed a violation or violations of
10 the licensing act to pay a sum not to exceed the reasonable costs of the investigation and
11 enforcement of the case.

12 FIRST CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE 13 (Unprofessional Conduct – Out of State Discipline) 14 (Bus. & Prof. Code § 2761, subd. (a)(4))

15 9. Respondent has subjected her registered nurse license to disciplinary action under
16 Code section 2761, subdivision (a)(4), in that on or about August 26, 2009, in a disciplinary
17 action before the Louisiana State Board of Nursing (Louisiana Board), the Louisiana Board
18 entered a Consent Order with Respondent ordering that a letter of reprimand be issued against
19 Respondent and requiring Respondent to: (1) within three months, submit written evidence of
20 completion of twenty hours of Louisiana Board-approved continuing education hours, including
21 legal accountability, ethics, and documentation of medication and administration; (2) submit
22 payment of costs to the Louisiana Board; and (3) not have any misconduct, criminal violations,
23 or violations of any health care regulations reported to the Board. Failure to comply with the
24 above requirements would result in the immediate suspension of Respondent's registered nurse
25 license for a minimum of six months. On or about September 16, 2009, the Louisiana Board
26 entered an Order Approving and Accepting the Consent Order, and the Louisiana Board issued a
27 letter of reprimand against Respondent on or about September 23, 2009.
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10. The underlying conduct supporting the Louisiana Board's disciplinary action is that on or about March 27, 2009, while working at the Medical Center of Louisiana in New Orleans, Louisiana, Respondent falsified documentation when she administered Cerebryx 2 grams intravenously and then altered the nurse's notes and flow sheet to reflect that she administered Cerebryx 1 gram intravenously.

SECOND CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

(Unprofessional Conduct – False Statement or Information in Application)
(Bus. & Prof. Code § 2761, subd. (e))

11. Complainant realleges the allegations contained in paragraphs 9 and 10 above, and incorporates them by reference as if fully set forth.

12. Respondent has subjected her registered nurse license to disciplinary action under Code section 2761, subdivision (e), in that she made or gave false statements and information to the California Board in applying for renewal of her California registered nurse license. Specifically, on or about December 29, 2009, Respondent submitted a Supplemental Information Report (Report) to the California Board in connection with the renewal of her California registered nurse license. In answering the questions contained in the Report, Respondent denied having any license disciplined by a government agency or disciplinary body since she last renewed her license. Respondent's statement was false given the disciplinary action taken against her Louisiana registered nurse license by the Louisiana Board on or about September 16, 2009.

PRAYER

WHEREFORE, Complainant requests that a hearing be held on the matters alleged in this Accusation, and that following the hearing, the Board of Registered Nursing issue a decision:

1. Revoking or suspending Registered Nurse License Number 637856, issued to Leasa Ann Campbell, also known as Leasa Comeaux Campbell;
2. Ordering Leasa Ann Campbell, also known as Leasa Comeaux Campbell to pay the Board of Registered Nursing the reasonable costs of the investigation and enforcement of this case, pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 125.3;

3.. Taking such other and further action as deemed necessary and proper.

DATED: April 12, 2011

Louise R. Bailey
LOUISE R. BAILEY, M.ED., RN
Executive Officer
Board of Registered Nursing
Department of Consumer Affairs
State of California
Complainant

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